A Proclamation by the Mayor and City Council of Ivins City, State of Utah

WHEREAS, September 17, 2026, marks the two hundred and thirty-ninth anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and

WHEREAS, it is the privilege and duty of the American people to commemorate the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America with appropriate ceremonies and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the United States of America, the guardian of our liberties, embodies the principles of limited government in a Republic dedicated to rule by law; and

WHEREAS, studying the Constitution is an opportunity for us to reflect on the privilege of being an American with all the rights and responsibilities which that privilege involves; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper to accord official recognition to this magnificent document, its memorable anniversary, and to the patriotic celebrations which will commemorate the occasion; and

WHEREAS, in 1956, Congress established constitution week to begin each year on September 17, the date in 1787, when the delegates to the convention signed the Constitution,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kevin Smith, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of Ivins City and the City Council Members, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17 through September 23 as Constitution Week and ask our citizens to reaffirm the ideals that the framers of the Constitution had in 1787 by vigilantly protecting the freedoms guaranteed to us through this guardian of our liberties, remembering that lost rights may never be regained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF

Given under my hand and Seal of Ivins City, State of Utah

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Mayor, Ivins City
August 20, 2026